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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO THE RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

The present Response is filed in regard to the Restriction Requirement mailed May 24, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application. The period for responding to the Office Action has been extended, by enclosure of a petition and fee, to and through June 24, 2005.